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## RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed on October 7, 2003, the period of response to which is set to expire on January 7, 2004. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows: